

Committee Room,
Austin, Texas, April 27, 1933.
Hon. Coke Stevenson, Speaker of the
House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Enrolled
Bills, to whom was referred

H. J. R. No. 41, Proposing amend-
ments to Section 5, of Article XI, of
the Constitution of Texas, permit-
ting a city that has adopted and
amended its charter, as provided in
Section 5, of Article XI, to alter,
amend, or repeal its charter once in
every twelve (12) months; provid-
ing for its submission to the voters
of the State of Texas as required by
the Constitution, and making an ap-
propriation therefor,

Has carefully compared same, and
finds it correctly enrolled.

ROGERS of Hunt, Chairman.

Committee Room,
Austin, Texas, April 27, 1933.
Hon. Coke Stevenson, Speaker of the
House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Enrolled
Bills, to whom was referred

H. C. R. No. 36, Granting T. W.
Tucker permission to sue the State,

Has carefully compared same, and
finds it correctly enrolled.

ROGERS of Hunt, Chairman.

Committee Room,
Austin, Texas, April 27, 1933.
Hon. Coke Stevenson, Speaker of the
House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Enrolled
Bills, to whom was referred

H. C. R. No. 45, Granting Womack
Construction Company permission to
sue the State,

Has carefully compared same, and
finds it correctly enrolled.

ROGERS of Hunt, Chairman.

Committee Room,
Austin, Texas, April 27, 1933.
Hon. Coke Stevenson, Speaker of the
House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Enrolled
Bills, to whom was referred

H. C. R. No. 46, Granting H. L.
Stancil permission to sue the State,

Has carefully compared same, and
finds it correctly enrolled.

ROGERS of Hunt, Chairman.

Committee Room,
Austin, Texas, April 27, 1933.
Hon. Coke Stevenson, Speaker of the
House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Enrolled
Bills, to whom was referred

H. C. R. No. 48, Granting E. R.
Leach permission to sue the State,

Has carefully compared same, and
finds it correctly enrolled.

ROGERS of Hunt, Chairman.

Committee Room,
Austin, Texas, April 27, 1933.
Hon. Coke Stevenson, Speaker of the
House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Enrolled
Bills, to whom was referred

H. C. R. No. 51, Granting Tibbetts
Construction Company permission to
sue the State,

Has carefully compared same, and
finds it correctly enrolled.

ROGERS of Hunt, Chairman.

FIFTY-SIXTH DAY

(Saturday, April 29, 1933)

The House met at 9:30 o'clock a. m.,
pursuant to adjournment, and was
called to order by Speaker Stevenson.

The roll was called, and the follow-
ing Members were present:

Mr. Speaker.	Davidson.
Adamson.	Dean.
Aikin.	Devall.
Alexander.	Dunlap.
Alsup.	Dwyer.
Anderson	Fain.
of Bexar.	Few.
Anderson	Fisher.
of Johnson.	Ford.
Barrett.	Fuchs.
Beck.	Glass.
Bedford.	Golson.
Bradley.	Good.
Butler.	Goodman.
Calvert.	Graves.
Camp.	Greathouse.
Canon.	Griffith.
Cathey.	Haag.
Caven.	Hankamer.
Celaya.	Harman.
Chastain.	Harris.
Clayton.	Hartzog.
Colson.	Head.
Crossley.	Hester.
Daniel.	Hicks.

Hill of Brazoria.	Patterson.
Hill of Webb.	Purveyer.
Hodges.	Ratliff.
Holland.	Ray.
Holloway.	Reed of Bowie.
Huddleston.	Riddle.
Hughes.	Rogers of Hunt.
Hyder.	Rogers
Jackson.	of Ochiltree.
James.	Rollins.
Jones of Runnels.	Ross.
Jones of Shelby.	Russell.
Kayton.	Savage.
Kyle of Hays.	Scarborough.
Laird.	Scott.
Latham.	Shannon.
Lemens.	Shults.
Lindsey.	Stanfield.
Lotief.	Steward.
Mackay.	Stinson.
Magee.	Stovall.
McClain.	Sullivan.
McCullough.	Tennyson.
McDougald.	Thomas.
McKee.	Tillery.
Merritt.	Townsend.
Metcalf.	Van Zandt.
Mitcham.	Vaughan.
Moffett.	Wagstaff.
Moore.	Walker.
Morrison.	Wells.
Morse.	Winningham.
Munson.	Young.

Absent

Duvall.	Pope.
Johnson	Ramsey.
of Anderson.	Reader.
Long.	Smith.
Mathis.	Tarwater.
McGregor.	Turlington.
Pavlica.	Weinert.

Absent—Excused

Baker.	Johnson
Barron.	of Dimmit.
Bourne.	Jones of Atascosa.
Burns.	Kyle of Palo Pinto.
Coombes.	Leonard.
Cowley.	Nicholson.
Dunagan.	Palmer.
Engelhard.	Parkhouse.
Harrison.	Reed of Dallas.
Holekamp.	Renfro.
Hoskins.	Roberts.
Hunt.	Wood.
Jefferson.	

A quorum was announced present.
Prayer was offered by Rev. Geo.
W. Coltrin, Chaplain.

LEAVES OF ABSENCE GRANTED

The following Members were granted leaves of absence on account of important business:

Mr. Jones of Atascosa for today, on motion of Mr. Townsend.

Mr. Harrison for today, on motion of Mr. Devall.

Mr. Roberts for today, on motion of Mr. Ray.

Mr. Leonard for today, on motion of Mr. Glass.

Mr. Cowley for today, on motion of Mr. Beck.

Mr. Holekamp for today, on motion of Mr. Scarborough.

Mr. Bourne for today, on motion of Mr. Mitcham.

Mr. Palmer for today, on motion of Mr. Colson.

Mr. Kyle of Palo Pinto for today, on motion of Mr. Reed of Bowie.

Mr. Barron for today, on motion of Mr. Camp.

Mr. Nicholson for today, on motion of Mr. McDougald.

Mr. Parkhouse for today, on motion of Mr. Hankamer.

Mr. Jefferson for today, on motion of Mr. Barrett.

Mr. Reed of Dallas for today, on motion of Mr. Stinson.

Mr. Hunt for today, on motion of Mr. Griffith.

Mr. Wood for today, on motion of Mr. Griffith.

Mr. Coombes for today, on motion of Mr. Good.

Mr. Engelhard and Mr. Hoskins for today, on motion of Mr. Fuchs.

Mr. Baker for today, on motion of Mr. Alsup.

The following Members were granted leaves of absence on account of illness:

Mr. Burns for today, on motion of Mr. Daniel.

Mr. Dunagan for today, on motion of Mr. Good.

HOUSE BILLS ON FIRST READING

Mr. Munson moved to introduce, at this time, and have placed on first reading, the following bill:

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—97

Adamson.	Anderson
Aikin.	of Bexar.
Alexander.	Anderson
Alsup.	of Johnson.

Barrett.	Lindsey.
Beck.	Lotief.
Bradley.	Mackay.
Calvert.	Magee.
Camp.	McClain.
Canon.	McCullough.
Cathey.	McDougald.
Celaya.	McKee.
Chastain.	Merritt.
Clayton.	Mitcham.
Colson.	Moffett.
Crossley.	Moore.
Davidson.	Morrison.
Dean.	Morse.
Devall.	Patterson.
Dunlap.	Puryear.
Dwyer.	Ramsey.
Fain.	Ratliff.
Few.	Ray.
Fisher.	Reed of Bowie.
Fuchs.	Rogers of Hunt.
Glass.	Rogers
Golson.	of Ochiltree.
Good.	Rollins.
Goodman.	Ross.
Greathouse.	Russell.
Griffith.	Savage.
Haag.	Scarborough.
Hankamer.	Scott.
Harman.	Shannon.
Harris.	Shults.
Hartzog.	Stanfield.
Hester.	Steward.
Hicks.	Stinson.
Hill of Brazoria.	Stovall.
Hill of Webb.	Tarwater.
Hodges.	Tennyson.
Holland.	Thomas.
Hughes.	Tillery.
Jackson.	Van Zandt.
James.	Vaughan.
Jones of Runnels.	Wagstaff.
Jones of Shelby.	Walker.
Kyle of Hays.	Wells.
Laird.	Winningham.
Lemens.	Young.

Nays—4

Head.	Hyder.
Huddleston.	Townsend.

Absent

Bedford.	Mathis.
Caven.	McGregor.
Daniel.	Metcalf.
Duvall.	Munson.
Ford.	Pavlica.
Graves.	Pope.
Holloway.	Reader.
Johnson	Riddle.
of Anderson.	Smith.
Kayton.	Turlington.
Latham.	Weinert.
Long.	

Absent—Excused

Baker.	Johnson
Barron.	of Dimmit.
Bourne.	Jones of Atascosa.
Burns.	Kyle of Palo Pinto.
Butler.	Leonard.
Coombes.	Nicholson.
Cowley.	Palmer.
Dunagan.	Parkhouse.
Engelhard.	Reed of Dallas.
Harrison.	Renfro.
Holekamp.	Roberts.
Hoskins.	Sullivant.
Hunt.	Wood.
Jefferson.	

The Speaker then laid the bill before the House; it was read first time, and referred to the appropriate committee, as follows:

By Mr. Munson, Mr. Fain, Mr. Wagstaff, Mr. Pope, Mr. Reed of Dallas, Mr. Vaughan, Mr. Daniel, Mr. Stinson, and Mr. Parkhouse:

H. B. No. 909, A bill to be entitled "An Act amending Article 2867, of the 1925 Revised Civil Statutes of Texas; providing that no moneys shall be appropriated out of the Available School Fund for the purpose of purchasing textbooks for use during the years of 1934 and 1935; and declaring an emergency."

Referred to Committee on Education.

The following House bill, introduced today, by unanimous consent, was laid before the House, read first time, and referred to the appropriate committee, as follows:

By Mr. Ross:

H. B. No. 910, A bill to be entitled "An Act fixing the open season on wild buck deer in certain counties in this State, and declaring an emergency."

Referred to Committee on Game and Fisheries.

Mr. Chastain moved a call of the House for the purpose of maintaining a quorum until 12 o'clock m., today, and the call was duly ordered.

The Speaker then directed the Doorkeeper to close the main entrance to the Hall, and instructed the Sergeant-at-Arms to lock all other doors leading from the Hall, and stated that no Member would be permitted to leave the Hall without written permission from the Speaker.

On motion of Mr. Anderson of Bexar, the Sergeant-at-Arms was instructed to bring in all absent Members within the city who are not ill.

HOUSE BILL NO. 459 ON SECOND READING

On motion of Mr. Cathey, by unanimous consent of the House, the regular order of business was suspended, to take up, and have placed on its second reading and passage to engrossment,

H. B. No. 459, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Acts, 1929, Forty-first Legislature, Second Called Session, page 172, Chapter 88, Section 13, relating to the issuing of license number plates; providing that said plates shall be manufactured and produced in the State Penitentiary, at Huntsville, Texas, and declaring an emergency."

The Speaker laid the bill before the House, and it was read second time.

Mr. Cathey offered the following amendment to the bill:

Amend House Bill No. 459 by adding, at the end of line 32, in Section 13, after the word "Texas," the following: "Provided further, that the State Penitentiary shall be authorized to manufacture all steel or metal road signs; and provided further, that, at the discretion of the State Highway Commission, the State Penitentiary may make or manufacture road signs made of wooden material."

The amendment was adopted.

By unanimous consent of the House, the caption of the bill was ordered amended to conform to all changes made in the body of the bill.

House Bill No. 459 was then passed to engrossment.

HOUSE BILL NO. 459 ON THIRD READING

Mr. Cathey moved that the constitutional rule, requiring bills to be read on three several days, be suspended, and that House Bill No. 459 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—100

Mr. Speaker.
Adamson.

Aikin.
Alexander.

Alsop.	Lemens.
Anderson	Lindsey.
of Bexar.	Lotief.
Anderson	Mackay.
of Johnson.	Magee.
Barrett.	McClain.
Beck.	McCullough.
Calvert.	McDougald.
Camp.	McKee.
Canon.	Merritt.
Cathey.	Metcalfe.
Celaya.	Mitcham.
Chastain.	Moffett.
Clayton.	Moore.
Crossley.	Morrison.
Daniel.	Morse.
Davidson.	Munson.
Dean.	Patterson.
Devall.	Puryear.
Dunlap.	Ramsey.
Dwyer.	Ratliff.
Fain.	Ray.
Few.	Reed of Bowie.
Fisher.	Riddle.
Ford.	Rogers of Hunt.
Fuchs.	Rogers
Glass.	of Ochiltree.
Golson.	Rollins.
Good.	Ross.
Goodman.	Russell.
Haag.	Savage.
Hankamer.	Scarborough.
Harman.	Scott.
Harris.	Shannon.
Hartzog.	Shults.
Head.	Stanfield.
Hester.	Steward.
Hicks.	Stovall.
Hill of Brazoria.	Tarwater.
Hill of Webb.	Tennyson.
Hodges.	Thomas.
Holloway.	Tillery.
Huddleston.	Townsend.
Hughes.	Van Zandt.
Hyder.	Vaughan.
James.	Wagstaff.
Jones of Runnels.	Walker.
Jones of Shelby.	Wells.
Kyle of Hays.	Young.
Laird.	

Absent

Bedford.	Latham.
Bradley.	Long.
Caven.	Mathis.
Colson.	McGregor.
Duvall.	Pavlica.
Graves.	Pope.
Greathouse.	Reader.
Griffith.	Smith.
Holland.	Stinson.
Jackson.	Turlington.
Johnson	Weinert.
of Anderson.	Winningham.
Kayton.	

Absent—Excused

Baker.	Johnson
Barron.	of Dimmit.
Bourne.	Jones of Atascosa.
Burns.	Kyle of Palo Pinto.
Butler.	Leonard.
Coombes.	Nicholson.
Cowley.	Palmer.
Dunagan.	Parkhouse.
Engelhard.	Reed of Dallas.
Harrison.	Renfro.
Holekamp.	Roberts.
Hoskins.	Sullivant.
Hunt.	Wood.
Jefferson.	

The Speaker then laid House Bill No. 459 before the House on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time, and was passed by the following vote:

Yeas—98

Mr. Speaker.	Hill of Brazoria.
Adamson.	Hill of Webb.
Aikin.	Hodges.
Alexander.	Holland.
Alsup.	Holloway.
Anderson	Huddleston.
of Johnson.	Hughes.
Barrett.	Hyder.
Beck.	James.
Bedford.	Jones of Runnels.
Bradley.	Jones of Shelby.
Calvert.	Kyle of Hays.
Camp.	Laird.
Canon.	Lemens.
Cathey.	Lindsey.
Chastain.	Lotief.
Clayton.	Magee.
Colson.	Mackay.
Crossley.	McClain.
Davidson.	McCullough.
Dean.	McKee.
Devall.	Merritt.
Dunlap.	Metcalfe.
Dwyer.	Mitcham.
Fain.	Moffett.
Few.	Moore.
Fisher.	Morrison.
Ford.	Munson.
Fuchs.	Puryear.
Glass.	Ramsey.
Golson.	Ratliff.
Good.	Ray.
Goodman.	Reed of Bowie.
Haag.	Riddle.
Hankamer.	Rogers of Hunt.
Harman.	Rogers
Harris.	of Ochiltree.
Hartzog.	Rollins.
Head.	Russell.
Hester.	Savage.
Hicks.	Scarborough.

Scott.	Tillery.
Shannon.	Townsend.
Shults.	Van Zandt.
Stanfield.	Vaughan.
Steward.	Wagstaff.
Stovall.	Walker.
Tarwater.	Weinert.
Tennyson.	Wells.
Thomas.	Young.

Nays—6

Anderson	McDougald.
of Bexar.	Morse.
Greathouse.	Patterson.
Jackson.	

Absent

Caven.	Mathis.
Celaya.	McGregor.
Daniel.	Pavlica.
Duvall.	Pope.
Graves.	Reader.
Griffith.	Ross.
Johnson	Smith.
of Anderson.	Stinson.
Kayton.	Turlington.
Latham.	Winningham.
Long.	

Absent—Excused

Baker.	Johnson
Barron.	of Dimmit.
Bourne.	Jones of Atascosa.
Burns.	Kyle of Palo Pinto.
Butler.	Leonard.
Coombes.	Nicholson.
Cowley.	Palmer.
Dunagan.	Parkhouse.
Engelhard.	Reed of Dallas.
Harrison.	Renfro.
Holekamp.	Roberts.
Hoskins.	Sullivant.
Hunt.	Wood.
Jefferson.	

RELATIVE TO THE MAKING OF
AUTOMOBILE LICENSE
PLATES

Mr. Cathey offered the following resolution:

Whereas, The Board of Control has advertised to receive bids for the making of automobile license plates and chauffeurs' badges for the year 1934; and

Whereas, The Board of Control is advertising that they will receive bids up to May 8, 1933; and

Whereas, There is a bill now pending in this Legislature authorizing the making of said license plates and chauffeurs' badges; and

Whereas, The making of said plates and badges will be a great saving to

the State of Texas, besides finding work for idle convicts confined in the State Penitentiary, at Huntsville, Texas; and

Whereas, This bill is likely to be acted on favorably by the House of Representatives on next Tuesday night, May 2, 1933, uncontested bill night; therefore, be it

Resolved by the House of Representatives of the State of Texas, That the Board of Control be asked to withhold making contract with any person, firm, or corporation until this bill has been acted on by the House of Representatives and the Senate of the State of Texas.

The resolution was read second time, and was adopted.

AUTHORIZING ALFRED BROWN TO SUE THE STATE

Mr. Scott offered the following resolution:

H. C. R. No. 75, Authorizing Alfred Brown to Sue the State of Texas.

Whereas, On or about March 21, 1933, Alfred Brown, the 3-year-old son of Mary Brown and M. H. Brown, sustained and suffered serious and permanent bodily injury, and was damaged, by the State Highway Department of Texas by an explosion of a dynamite cap left by the State Highway Department of Texas on Highway No. 1, near the bridge across Sweetwater Creek, immediately east of the town of Sweetwater, Texas; and

Whereas, As a result of such explosion the said Alfred Brown suffered, and sustained, the permanent loss of the sight of his right eye and a partial permanent loss of the sight in his left eye, with a traumatic cataract formation over the left eye; the thumb, index and middle fingers of left hand were blown away, and fingers on the right hand severely injured; and

Whereas, Said Alfred Brown, nor his parents, have never been compensated by the State of Texas for the damages resulting from said injury. Now, therefore, be it

Resolved by the House of Representatives, the Senate concurring, that the said Alfred Brown, and the parents of Alfred Brown, be, and they are hereby, granted permission to sue the State of Texas for damages for the personal injuries sustained as aforesaid, in a court of competent

jurisdiction in order to determine compensation for damages for the personal injuries so sustained, and that such suit shall be tried and determined in the trial and appellate courts of this State, according to the same rules of law and procedure as to liability and defenses, as if such suit were against an ordinary corporate defendant; and it is hereby provided that if such suit be instituted under the provisions of this resolution, service of citation or other necessary process shall issue according to the rules of law governing such process in civil cases, and that such process, if and when issued, shall be directed to the Chairman of the Highway Commission of Texas, the Attorney General of the State of Texas, and that service of process upon such State officials shall be deemed sufficient.

The resolution was read second time, and was referred, by the Speaker, to the Committee on State Affairs.

TO GRANT J. M. McCARTY PERMISSION TO SUE THE STATE

Mr. Pope offered the following resolution:

H. C. R. No. 76, Relative to compensation for damage done by the Highway Department.

Whereas, On or about March 11, 1933, J. M. McCarty, of Corpus Christi, Texas, while acting as an employe of the State Highway Department of Texas, at, or near, the drawbridge between Corpus Christi and Nueces Bay, on State Highway No. 12, and while in the performance of the duties imposed upon him by the State Highway Department of Texas, in closing the drawbridge gate, was knocked down by an employe of the State of Texas, and by virtue thereof, both legs were broken, and his back sprained, his body bruised, and otherwise injured; and

Whereas, The direct and approximate cause of the injury was the failure of the Highway Department of the State of Texas to properly provide suitable gates with which said J. M. McCarty was required to work. Now, therefore, be it

Resolved by the House of Representatives, the Senate concurring, That the said J. M. McCarty, or his heirs, in the event of his death, by

reason of such injuries, be, and is hereby, authorized to sue the said State Highway Department of the State of Texas, by virtue of service now provided by law, and the State of Texas, for such amount as he may be by law entitled to recover.

The resolution was read second time, and was referred, by the Speaker, to the Committee on State Affairs.

GRANTING PERMISSION TO BEN MARTIN TO SUE THE STATE

Mr. Haag offered the following resolution:

H. C. R. No. 77, To grant Ben Martin permission to sue the State.

Whereas, On or about the thirty-first day of January, A. D. 1933, Ben Martin, of the town of Fort Davis, in Jeff Davis County, Texas, while employed by the State Highway Commission of Texas, on what is known as the "Scenic Highway," near the town of Fort Davis, Texas, in the capacity of a truck driver, and while the said Ben Martin was engaged in the performance of the regular duties of his said employment, and while performing the work he was employed to do by the said State Highway Commission, he, the said Ben Martin, was severely and permanently injured when several rocks hit him in the back of the head and fractured the skull bone to such an extent that it became necessary to have a portion of the skull bone removed, said falling rocks being caused by a dynamite blast then and there being operated and directed by said State Highway Commission, by, and through, its superintendent and employes on said Scenic Highway project, and which injury penetrated into the brain of the said Ben Martin: and

Whereas, By reason of said accident causing said fracture of said skull bone and penetrating into the brain of said Ben Martin, he suffered great bodily injury, which totally and permanently incapacitated him for the resumption of his said employment, or for any other kind of labor or employment; and

Whereas, The said Ben Martin has not been compensated for his said injury and loss resulting therefrom; now, therefore, be it

Resolved by the House of Representatives, the Senate concurring, That the said Ben Martin, his heirs,

executors, and administrators, be, and they are hereby, granted permission to bring suit against the State of Texas, and against the State Highway of Texas, in a court of competent jurisdiction, in Jeff Davis County, Texas, in order to ascertain, fix, and award the amount of money, if any, that the said Ben Martin, his heirs, executors, and administrators are entitled to receive from the State of Texas, and the State Highway Commission of Texas, as compensation by reason of such injury and resulting damages; and that in case such suit be filed, service of citation or other necessary process be had upon the Governor of the State of Texas, the Chairman of the State Highway Commission of Texas, and the Attorney General of Texas, and that the same have the same force and effect as made and provided in civil cases; and provided, that either one of the parties to said suit shall have the right to appeal without the execution of bond; and any judgment that may be finally established against the State of Texas and the State Highway Commission of Texas, or either of them, in said suit, shall be a liquidated debt, and shall be paid by the State Highway Commission of Texas out of the State Highway Funds.

The resolution was read second time, and was referred, by the Speaker, to the Committee on State Affairs.

PETITIONING CONGRESS TO REPEAL CERTAIN ACT

Mr. Bradley offered the following resolution:

H. C. R. No. 73, Petitioning Congress to repeal certain Act.

Whereas, One of the most cherished of American traditions is the right of the citizen to investigate, consider, and discuss the various public issues that confront his government and himself—this ancient custom having been established as a part of the Anglo-American tradition of liberty; and

Whereas, Such civil rights are a fundamental necessity in our form of government by political parties and by representatives of the people and have become firmly embodied in American institutions, not only by historical inheritance, including the Bill of Rights, but also by the classic political controversy centering around

the infamous alien and sedition laws of our early history as a Nation; and

Whereas, Said legislation again appeared in the Acts of Congress, dated June 15, 1917, although it is of special note that in the United States Code of 1925, the encroachment on the rights of American citizens was modified; and

Whereas, The States of Florida, Iowa, Louisiana, Minnesota, Montana, Nebraska, New Jersey, Texas, and Wisconsin heretofore passed similar legislation in line with said Federal legislation of 1917; and

Whereas, The President of the United States of America, on or about March 6, A. D. 1933, did issue a proclamation based in part on the so-called Trading with the Enemy Act, wherein authority was exercised based on a "National emergency," in the words of the President; and

Whereas, With due respect to the person and office of the present Chief Executive of the United States, there may develop dangers to American liberty, for our customs, statutes, and other laws must not be dependent solely on the integrity of any officeholder; and

Whereas, It would require only another step to invoke so-called war-time legislation in regard to civil liberties and to make the same operative during real or imagined National emergencies in the future, history demonstrating innumerable occasions of the use of a precedent set by a patriot in a real National emergency such as existed in the finances of the banks of the United States at the time of said proclamation, as the unwarranted basis for later tyrants' usurping sovereignty and destroying the rights of the people secured at great sacrifice and after age-long struggles; and

Whereas, It behooves the law makers of America to put and keep their statutes in such shape as to protect the rights of citizens, which doctrine was announced by the great Democratic President, Thomas Jefferson, in the immortal words: "Eternal vigilance is the price of liberty"; now, therefore, be it

Resolved by the House of Representatives, the Senate concurring, That we do hereby petition the National Congress to repeal Section 33, Title 54, Chapter 4, of the United States Code of 1925, and such other legislation as encroaches on the lib-

erties of the people, and the Legislatures of the several States hereinbefore named, and other States, at the first available opportunity to eliminate their sedition laws in so far as they have not already done so at the time this resolution comes to their attention; and be it further

Resolved, That copies of this resolution be sent to the Senators and Congressmen from Texas serving this State in the Congress of the United States and to the Governors of the several States hereinbefore named.

BRADLEY,
JEFFERSON,
LEMENS.

The resolution was read second time.

On motion of Mr. Bradley, the resolution was referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

RELATIVE TO THE GALVESTON-BOLIVAR FERRY

Mr. McKee offered the following resolution:

H. C. R. No. 72, Requesting Highway Department to take over Galveston-Bolivar ferry.

Whereas, There is at the present time a section of the Hug-the-Coast Highway connecting the County of Galveston with Chambers and Jefferson Counties; and

Whereas, There is at the present time a privately-owned ferry operating between the City of Galveston and Port Bolivar, Texas, a distance of two and one-half miles, and the said ferry is a connecting link in Highway No. 87, between the cities of Beaumont, Orange, and Port Arthur, and all points east, including the State of Louisiana; and

Whereas, At the present time the ferry charges of \$1.25 per car, and 25 cents per passenger, are so exorbitant that resolutions have been passed, and are being passed, by the commissioners courts of Galveston, Chambers, and Jefferson Counties, asking that the State Highway Department take over and operate this ferry as a highway connection on Highway No. 87; and

Whereas, It would be of tremendous benefit to the people of the State of Texas for the State Highway Department to operate this ferry for the benefit of the people; and

Whereas, A toll of 50 cents per car would bring direct financial assistance to those who would use this facility. Therefore, be it

Resolved by the House of Representatives, the Senate concurring, That the Highway Department of the State of Texas is hereby requested to take over the Galveston-Bolivar ferry, and afford the people of the State some relief from the aforesaid exorbitant charges, and operate said ferry on the basis of 50 cents per car until such portion of the cost of the project has been paid in as will satisfy the cost of the project; and or until such time as the Highway Department shall decide to operate this ferry free of charge; and be it further

Resolved, That the Highway Department is requested to give this relief as expediently as possible.

McKEE,
McDOUGALD,
NICHOLSON,
MACKAY,
BEDFORD.

The resolution was read second time, and was adopted.

RELATIVE TO THE SAN ANTONIO STATE HOSPITAL

The Speaker laid before the House, for consideration at this time, the following resolution:

S. C. R. No. 38, Relative to the San Antonio State Hospital.

Whereas, The San Antonio State Hospital has now an available appropriation for the erection of a nurses' home, and likely will have an appropriation for an additional ward building to be erected during the next biennium; and

Whereas, The hospital grounds are now so crowded with buildings and congested with patients that it is imperative that additional buildings be erected, and that the land available for suitable and economical expansion of the plant make it necessary to purchase additional land adjoining the hospital grounds; and

Whereas, The Chamber of Commerce of San Antonio has secured options to purchase the only available adjoining land, and has offered the same to the San Antonio State Hospital and the Board of Control; and

Whereas, The San Antonio State Hospital has sufficient local funds im-

pounded in the State Treasury to its credit to purchase and pay for said land; therefore, be it

Resolved by the Senate, the House of Representatives concurring, That the Board of Control, the Governor, and the Attorney General be authorized and requested to enter negotiations and to purchase said land to be paid for out of the local funds of the San Antonio State Hospital at such prices as they may deem equitable and proper, and to exercise the options furnished by the San Antonio Chamber of Commerce, and other citizens.

The resolution was read second time, and was adopted.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

Senate Chamber,
Austin, Texas, April 29, 1933.

Hon. Coke Stevenson, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: I am directed by the Senate to inform the House that the Senate has passed

H. B. No. 646, A bill to be entitled "An Act to prohibit the sale, or offering for sale, or the buying of any bass, crappie, perch, or catfish, or any other fish, taken from the fresh waters within the following named counties: San Saba, Gillespie, Kerr, Comal, Llano, Mason, Kimble, Val Verde, Edwards, Sutton, and Real; and to prohibit the use of trot line, drag seine, or net, and to limit the size and number of fish to be caught; repealing all laws and parts of laws in conflict herewith; and declaring an emergency." (With amendments.)

S. B. No. 440, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Articles 450, 451, and 539, of the Revised Civil Statutes of Texas; providing for the liquidation of solvent banks through the Banking Commissioner of Texas; providing for procedure for such liquidation; and declaring an emergency."

S. B. No. 125, A bill to be entitled "An Act making it a misdemeanor, punishable by fine of not less than \$50, nor more than \$2,000, and, in addition thereto, imprisonment in the county jail for not less than thirty days, nor more than six months, for any person who is the owner, or part owner, of any land, rural or urban.

in this State, which land is encumbered with a valid contract lien, to remove, or knowingly to permit removal from said land, any house, outhouse, barn, garage, fence, or other improvement thereon, or to wilfully damage, or destroy, any such house, outhouse, barn, garage, fence, or other improvement thereon, or to permit it to be done, during the existence of such lien without consent of the holder of such lien; and declaring an emergency."

S. B. No. 531, A bill to be entitled "An Act amending Article 6674-n, Revised Civil Statutes of 1925, as amended by Chapter 10, Acts of the Third Called Session of the Forty-first Legislature, and Chapter 79, Acts of the Fifth Called Session of the Forty-first Legislature, so as to authorize the State Highway Commission, or the commissioners court, to condemn land not more than 100 feet in width for stream-bed diversion, in connection with the locating, relocating, or construction of a designated State highway; and declaring an emergency."

S. B. No. 533, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Subsection 5, of Section 12, of House Bill No. 3, passed at the Regular Session of the Forty-third Legislature; and declaring an emergency."

S. B. No. 289, A bill to be entitled "An Act making appropriations out of the Sand, Shell, and Gravel Fund of this State, to pay certain refunds of the tax collected by the Game, Fish, and Oyster Commission on sand, shell, and gravel used by counties, cities, and towns for constructing streets and roads; and declaring an emergency."

Respectfully,
BOB BARKER,
Secretary of the Senate.

SENATE BILLS ON FIRST READING

The following Senate bills, received from the Senate today, were laid before the House, read severally first time, and referred to the appropriate committees, as follows:

Senate Bill No. 440, to the Committee on Banks and Banking.

Senate Bill No. 531, to the Committee on Judiciary.

Senate Bill No. 125, to the Committee on Criminal Jurisprudence.

Senate Bill No. 289, to the Committee on Appropriations.

Senate Bill No. 533, to the Committee on Highways and Motor Traffic.

GRANTING E. B. SULLIVAN AND OTHERS PERMISSION TO SUE THE STATE

The Speaker laid before the House, for consideration at this time,

S. C. R. No. 28, Granting E. B. Sullivan permission to sue the State;

The resolution having heretofore been read second time, and referred to the Committee on State Affairs;

The Committee on State Affairs having recommended the adoption of the resolution.

Question recurring on the resolution, it was adopted.

PROVIDING FOR PORTRAIT OF EX-GOVERNOR STERLING

The Speaker laid before the House, for consideration at this time,

S. C. R. No. 34, Providing for a portrait of Ex-Governor Ross S. Sterling to be hung in the Capitol;

The resolution having heretofore been read second time, and referred to the Committee on State Affairs;

The Committee on State Affairs having recommended the adoption of the resolution.

Question recurring on the resolution, it was adopted.

GRANTING PERMISSION TO SUE THE STATE

The Speaker laid before the House, for consideration at this time,

H. C. R. No. 56, Granting Abilene Plumbing Company permission to sue the State;

The resolution having heretofore been read second time, and referred to the Committee on State Affairs;

The Committee on State Affairs having recommended the adoption of the resolution, with the following committee amendments:

(1)

Amend House Concurrent Resolution No. 56, in line 3, of last paragraph, after the words "Texas and," by striking out the words "the members of," and in the same paragraph,

in line 4, by inserting, after the word "control," the words "in their official capacity."

(2)

Amend House Concurrent Resolution No. 56, on page 2, line 2, after the word "Control," by inserting the following: "in their official capacity."

The amendments were severally adopted.

The resolution as amended was then adopted.

GRANTING ALBERT MOORE PERMISSION TO SUE THE STATE

The Speaker laid before the House, for consideration at this time,

H. C. R. No. 59, Granting Albert Moore permission to sue the State;

The resolution having heretofore been read second time, and referred to the Committee on State Affairs;

The Committee on State Affairs having recommended the adoption of the resolution.

Question recurring on the resolution, it was adopted.

GRANTING W. C. MOORE PERMISSION TO SUE THE STATE

The Speaker laid before the House, for consideration at this time,

H. C. R. No. 60, Granting W. C. Moore permission to sue the State;

The resolution having heretofore been read second time, and referred to the Committee on State Affairs;

The Committee on State Affairs having recommended the adoption of the resolution.

The resolution was then adopted.

GRANTING W. F. SEWELL AND WIFE PERMISSION TO SUE THE STATE

The Speaker laid before the House, for consideration at this time,

H. C. R. No. 61, Granting W. F. Sewell and wife permission to sue the State;

The resolution having heretofore been read second time, and referred to the Committee on State Affairs;

The Committee on State Affairs having recommended the adoption of the resolution.

Question recurring on the resolution, it was adopted.

GRANTING E. A. ELIOT PERMISSION TO SUE THE STATE

The Speaker laid before the House, for consideration at this time,

H. C. R. No. 62, Granting E. A. Eliot and others permission to sue the State;

The resolution having heretofore been read second time, and referred to the Committee on State Affairs;

The Committee on State Affairs having recommended the adoption of the resolution.

Question recurring on the resolution, it was adopted.

GRANTING CERTAIN PARTY PERMISSION TO SUE THE STATE

The Speaker laid before the House, for consideration at this time,

H. C. R. No. 66, Granting certain party permission to sue the State;

The resolution having heretofore been read second time, and referred to the Committee on State Affairs;

The Committee on State Affairs having recommended the adoption of the resolution.

Question recurring on the resolution, it was adopted.

GRANTING PERMISSION TO SUE THE STATE

The Speaker laid before the House, for consideration at this time,

H. C. R. No. 71, Granting John Minica permission to sue the State;

The resolution having heretofore been read second time, and referred to the Committee on State Affairs;

The Committee on State Affairs having recommended the adoption of the resolution.

Question recurring on the resolution, it was adopted.

GRANTING RAYMOND CANION PERMISSION TO SUE THE STATE

The Speaker laid before the House, for consideration at this time,

S. C. R. No. 25, Granting Raymond Canion permission to sue the State;

The resolution having heretofore been read second time, and referred to the Committee on State Affairs;

The Committee on State Affairs having recommended the adoption of the resolution.

Question recurring on the resolution, it was adopted.

GRANTING DICK ISBELL PERMISSION TO SUE THE STATE

The Speaker laid before the House, for consideration at this time,

H. C. R. No. 49, Granting Dick Isbell permission to sue the State;

The resolution having heretofore been read second time, and referred to the Committee on State Affairs;

The Committee on State Affairs having recommended the adoption of the resolution.

Question recurring on the resolution, it was adopted.

GRANTING MARTIN BROTHERS PERMISSION TO SUE THE STATE

The Speaker laid before the House, for consideration at this time,

H. C. R. No. 69-a, Granting Martin Brothers permission to sue the State;

The resolution having heretofore been read second time, and referred to the Committee on State Affairs;

The Committee on State Affairs having recommended the adoption of the resolution, with the following committee amendment:

Amend House Concurrent Resolution No. 69-a in the last line of the last paragraph by inserting after the word "Texas" the words "in a court of competent jurisdiction in Travis County, Texas."

The amendment was adopted.

The resolution as amended was then adopted.

RELATIVE TO CLASSIFICATIONS OF HIGH SCHOOLS

The Speaker laid before the House, for consideration at this time,

S. C. R. No. 46, Relative to classifications of high schools.

Whereas, By reason of the unprecedented economic condition many of the high schools of Texas are faced with the problem of retaining their credits and classifications, and

Whereas, These credits and classifications have been obtained at great

sacrifice to the citizens and taxpayers of Texas, and

Whereas, There is grave danger of many high school students being denied entrance to certain higher educational institutions by reason of the loss of credits by the school which they have been attending; therefore, be it

Resolved by the Senate of Texas, the House of Representatives concurring, That the Committee on Classifications of Texas be, and they are hereby, directed not to withdraw the credits nor reduce the standard of any accredited high school in Texas for two years following the passage of this resolution by reason of a reduction of salary of teachers and other employes, but that on the contrary, the said Committee on Classifications be directed to retain the standing of every high school in Texas.

Signed—Moore, Duggan, Small, Woodward, Greer, Purl, Oneal, Woodruff, Regan, DeBerry, Russek, Collie.

The resolution was read second time.

Mr. Head offered the following amendment to the resolution:

Amend Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 46 by striking out all of the last paragraph and substituting the following:

"Be it resolved by the Senate of Texas, the House of Representatives concurring, That the Committee on Classification of Texas be, and they are hereby, directed not to withdraw the credits nor reduce the standard of any accredited high school in Texas for two years following the passage of this resolution, by reason of a reduction of salary of teachers and other employes, and/or length of term, and the said Committee on Classifications shall be directed to retain the standing of every high school in Texas as of the date of this resolution.

HEAD,
BARRETT,
MOFFETT,
SHULTS.

The amendment was adopted.

The resolution as amended was then adopted.

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 43 WITH SENATE AMENDMENTS

Mr. Sullivant called up from the Speaker's table, with Senate amend-

ments, for consideration of the amendments,

H. J. R. No. 43, Proposing an amendment to Subsection a, of Section 20, Article XVI, of the Constitution of Texas, providing that vinous and malt liquors of not more than 3.2 per cent alcoholic content by weight shall not be prohibited by said Section; providing that the amendment shall be self-enacting, authorizing the Legislature to provide other regulations; providing for the submission of such amendment to the voters, for the proclamation and publication thereof, making an appropriation for the expenses of such election, and authorizing the submission of other matters at such election.

The Speaker laid the resolution before the House, with the Senate amendments.

On motion of Mr. Sullivant, the House concurred in the Senate amendments by the following vote:

Yeas—103

Adamson.	Harman.
Aikin.	Harris.
Alexander.	Hartzog.
Alsup.	Head.
Anderson	Hester.
of Bexar.	Hicks.
Anderson	Hill of Brazoria.
of Johnson.	Hill of Webb.
Beck.	Hodges.
Bradley.	Holland.
Butler.	Huddleston.
Calvert.	Hughes.
Camp.	Hyder.
Canon.	Jackson.
Cathey.	James.
Celaya.	Jones of Runnels.
Chastain.	Jones of Shelby.
Clayton.	Kayton.
Colson.	Kyle of Hays.
Crossley.	Laird.
Daniel.	Latham.
Dean.	Lemens.
Devall.	Lotief.
Dunlap.	Mackay.
Dwyer.	Magee.
Fain.	McCullough.
Few.	McDougald.
Fisher.	McGregor.
Ford.	McKee.
Fuchs.	Merritt.
Glass.	Metcalfe.
Golson.	Mitcham.
Good.	Moffett.
Goodman.	Moore.
Graves.	Morrison.
Greathouse.	Morse.
Griffith.	Munson.
Haag.	Patterson.
Hankamer.	Puryear.

Ramsey.	Stinson.
Reed of Bowie.	Stovall.
Riddle.	Sullivant.
Rogers of Hunt.	Tarwater.
Rogers	Tennyson.
of Ochiltree.	Thomas.
Rollins.	Tillery.
Ross.	Townsend.
Russell.	Turlington.
Savage.	Van Zandt.
Scarborough.	Wagstaff.
Shannon.	Walker.
Stanfield.	Wells.
Steward.	Young.

Nays—6

Barrett.	Scott.
Lindsey.	Shults.
Ray.	Vaughan.

Present—Not Voting

Ratliff.

Absent

Bedford.	Mathis.
Caven.	McClain.
Davidson.	Pavlica.
Duvall.	Pope.
Holloway.	Reader.
Johnson	Smith.
of Anderson.	Weinert.
Long.	Winningham.

Absent—Excused

Baker.	Johnson
Barron.	of Dimmit.
Bourne.	Jones of Atascosa.
Burns.	Kyle of Palo Pinto.
Coombes.	Leonard.
Cowley.	Nicholson.
Dunagan.	Palmer.
Engelhard.	Parkhouse.
Harrison.	Reed of Dallas.
Holekamp.	Renfro.
Hoskins.	Roberts.
Hunt.	Wood.
Jefferson.	

HOUSE BILL NO. 122 WITH SENATE AMENDMENTS

Mr. Anderson of Bexar called up from the Speaker's table, with Senate amendments, for consideration of the amendments,

H. B. No. 122, A bill to be entitled "An Act to regulate the manufacture, sale, and disposition of non-intoxicating malt liquors and the places wherein same are manufactured and sold; defining 'non-intoxicating malt liquors'; imposing an occupation tax upon certain persons, firms, corporations, and associations of persons manufacturing and selling non-intoxi-

cating malt liquors; defining 'manufacturers' of such non-intoxicating malt liquors, and regulating the business thereof, etc.; and declaring an emergency."

The Speaker laid the bill before the House, with the Senate amendments.

(Mr. Walker in the Chair.)

On motion of Mr. Anderson of Bexar, the House concurred in the Senate amendments.

Mr. Anderson of Bexar moved to reconsider the vote by which the House concurred in the Senate amendments.

The motion to reconsider prevailed.

Question then recurring on the motion that the House concur in the Senate amendments, it prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—85

Adamson.	Hyder.
Alexander.	Jackson.
Alsup.	James.
Anderson	Johnson
of Bexar.	of Anderson.
Beck.	Jones of Runnels.
Bradley.	Kayton.
Butler.	Laird.
Camp.	Latham.
Cathey.	Lemens.
Chastain.	Lotief.
Clayton.	Mackay.
Colson.	Magee.
Crossley.	McClain.
Daniel.	McCullough.
Dean.	McDougald.
Devall.	McKee.
Dunlap.	Merritt.
Dwyer.	Metcalf.
Fain.	Mitcham.
Fisher.	Moffett.
Ford.	Moore.
Fuchs.	Morrison.
Good.	Morse.
Goodman.	Munson.
Graves.	Patterson.
Greathouse.	Ramsey.
Griffith.	Riddle.
Haag.	Rogers of Hunt.
Hankamer.	Rogers
Harman.	of Ochiltree.
Harris.	Rollins.
Hartzog.	Ross.
Hester.	Russell.
Hicks.	Savage.
Hill of Brazoria.	Scarborough.
Hill of Webb.	Shannon.
Hodges.	Stanfield.
Holland.	Steward.
Huddleston.	Stinson.
Hughes.	Sullivan.

Tennyson.
Tillery.
Townsend.

Van Zandt.
Wagstaff.
Young.

Nays—19

Aikin.
Anderson
of Johnson.
Barrett.
Canon.
Few.
Glass.
Golson.
Head.
Kyle of Hays.

Lindsey.
Ratliff.
Ray.
Reed of Bowie.
Scott.
Shults.
Stovall.
Tarwater.
Turlington.
Vaughan.

Present—Not Voting

Caven.
Thomas.

Wells.

Absent

Bedford.
Calvert.
Celaya.
Davidson.
Duvall.
Holloway.
Jones of Shelby.
Long.
Mathis.

McGregor.
Pavlica.
Pope.
Purvey.
Reader.
Smith.
Walker.
Weinert.
Winningham.

Absent—Excused

Baker.
Barron.
Bourne.
Burns.
Coombes.
Cowley.
Dunagan.
Engelhard.
Harrison.
Holekamp.
Hoskins.
Hunt.
Jefferson.

Johnson
of Dimmit.
Jones of Atascosa.
Kyle of Palo Pinto.
Leonard.
Nicholson.
Palmer.
Parkhouse.
Reed of Dallas.
Renfro.
Roberts.
Wood.

PAIRED

Mr. Wells (present), who would vote "nay," with Mr. Renfro (absent), who would vote "yea."

RELATIVE TO HOUSE BILL NO.
888

Mr. Bradley moved that House Bill No. 888, reported adversely, with a minority favorable report, be printed.

The motion was lost.

BILL SIGNED BY THE SPEAKER

The Speaker signed, in the presence of the House, after giving due notice thereof, and its caption had been read, the following enrolled bill:

H. B. No. 231, "An Act providing means and methods whereby suits and causes of actions involving judgments for the recovery of real property or the foreclosure of liens against real property, and which are pending on the effective date hereof, or which may be filed within one hundred and eighty (180) days from the effective date hereof, or as otherwise provided herein, may be postponed or continued, and orders of sales and executions may be stayed by complying with the conditions as provided in this Act, authorizing temporary injunctions to stay sales under execution, orders of sales, or deeds of trust, providing for extensions under certain conditions; permitting appeals without requiring supersedeas bonds, and setting forth the conditions to be complied with, and the duties of the judge and of the court in respect thereto, limiting the time this Act shall be effective, and suspending laws in conflict herewith, but not repealing any laws, containing a saving clause, and declaring an emergency."

NOTICES GIVEN

Notices were given that motions would be made to take up, for consideration on the next legislative day, the following bills and resolutions, which bills and resolutions had heretofore been laid on the table subject to call:

Senate Bills Nos. 107, 160, and 165; House Bills Nos. 12, 47, 55, 95, 100, 144, 183, 234, 249, 250, 251, 256, 299, 307, 318, 337, 384, 391, 447, 476, 508, 528, 536, 555, 574, 649, 655, 717, 844, and 832; Senate Joint Resolution No. 11, and House Joint Resolution No. 25.

HOUSE BILL NO. 484 ON SECOND READING

On motion of Mr. Chastain, the regular order of business was suspended, to take up, and have placed on its second reading and passage to engrossment,

H. B. No. 484, A bill to be entitled "An Act providing for the repeal of Section 4-a, Chapter 22, General Laws of the Fifth Called Session of the Forty-first Legislature, being an Act providing for the sale of certain lands in Sabine Lake, and declaring an emergency."

The Speaker laid the bill before the House, and it was read second time.

Mr. McDougald moved that further consideration of the bill be postponed until 10 o'clock a. m., next Tuesday.

Question recurring on the motion by Mr. McDougald, yeas and nays were demanded.

The roll of the House was called, and the vote announced as follows:

Yeas—37

Adamson.	Hughes.
Alexander.	Jackson.
Anderson	Jones of Shelby.
of Bexar.	Kayton.
Anderson	Laird.
of Johnson.	Magee.
Beck.	McDougald.
Calvert.	Merritt.
Camp.	Moffett.
Caven.	Puryear.
Celaya.	Reed of Bowie.
Crossley.	Rogers of Hunt.
Dean.	Ross.
Devall.	Russell.
Glass.	Shults.
Hankamer.	Stinson.
Harris.	Tennyson.
Hill of Brazoria.	Tillery.
Holloway.	Vaughan.
Huddleston.	

Nays—54

Aikin.	Lindsey.
Alsup.	Lotief.
Barrett.	Mackay.
Bradley.	McClain.
Butler.	McCullough.
Canon.	McGregor.
Cathey.	Metcalfe.
Chastain.	Mitcham.
Clayton.	Moore.
Daniel.	Morse.
Fain.	Ramsey.
Few.	Ratliff.
Fisher.	Riddle.
Ford.	Rogers
Fuchs.	of Ochiltree.
Golson.	Rollins.
Graves.	Savage.
Griffith.	Scarborough.
Haag.	Scott.
Hartzog.	Steward.
Head.	Sullivant.
Hicks.	Tarwater.
Holland.	Thomas.
Hyder.	Townsend.
James.	Turlington.
Jones of Runnels.	Van Zandt.
Latham.	Young.
Lemens.	

Present—Not Voting

Mr. Speaker.	Goodman.
Bedford.	Stovall.

Absent

Colson.	McKee.
Davidson.	Morrison.
Dunlap.	Munson.
Duvall.	Patterson.
Dwyer.	Pavlica.
Good.	Pope.
Greathouse.	Ray.
Harman.	Reader.
Hester.	Shannon.
Hill of Webb.	Smith.
Hodges.	Stanfield.
Johnson	Wagstaff.
of Anderson.	Walker.
Kyle of Hays.	Weinert.
Long.	Wells.
Mathis.	Winningham.

Absent—Excused

Baker.	Johnson
Barron.	of Dimmit.
Bourne.	Jones of Atascosa.
Burns.	Kyle of Palo Pinto.
Coombes.	Leonard.
Cowley.	Nicholson.
Dunagan.	Palmer.
Engelhard.	Parkhouse.
Harrison.	Reed of Dallas.
Holekamp.	Renfro.
Hoskins.	Roberts.
Hunt.	Wood.
Jefferson.	

ADJOURNMENT

On motion of Mr. Vaughan, the House, at 12:20 o'clock p. m., adjourned until 9:30 o'clock a. m., next Monday.

APPENDIX

STANDING COMMITTEE REPORTS

The following committees have filed favorable reports on bills, as follows:

Highways and Motor Traffic: Senate Bill No. 533.

Judicial Districts: Senate Bill No. 273.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON ENGROSSED BILLS

Committee Room,
Austin, Texas, April 27, 1933.

Hon. Coke Stevenson, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Engrossed Bills, to whom was referred

H. B. No. 226, A bill to be entitled "An Act to repeal and repealing Ar-

ticles 6663 to 6674, inclusive, of the Revised Civil Statutes of Texas, 1925, and to create and creating an administrative board, to be known as the State Highway Commission, consisting of five members, to be appointed by the Governor of Texas, with the advice and consent of the Senate of Texas, one from each State Highway District (defined and created in the Act), and to serve for terms of two years, and, thereafter, one of each member to be elected by the qualified voters of each such State Highway District for terms as provided for in the Act, etc.; and declaring an emergency,"

Has carefully compared same, and finds it correctly engrossed.

HYDER, Vice-Chairman.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON ENROLLED BILLS

Committee Room,
Austin, Texas, April 29, 1933.

Hon. Coke Stevenson, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Enrolled Bills, to whom was referred

H. B. No. 231, "An Act providing means and methods whereby suits and causes of actions involving judgments for the recovery of real property, or the foreclosure of liens against real property, and which are pending on the effective date hereof, or which may be filed within one hundred and eighty (180) days from the effective date hereof, or as otherwise provided herein, may be postponed or continued, and orders of sales and executions may be stayed by complying with the conditions as provided in this Act, authorizing temporary injunctions to stay sales under execution, orders of sales, or deeds of trust, providing for extensions under certain conditions; permitting appeals without requiring supersedeas bonds, and setting forth the conditions to be complied with, and the duties of the judge, and of the court, in respect thereto; limiting the time this Act shall be effective, and suspending laws in conflict herewith, but not repealing any laws, containing a savings clause; and declaring an emergency,"

Has carefully compared same, and finds it correctly enrolled.

ROGERS of Hunt, Chairman.

Committee Room,
Austin, Texas, April 27, 1933.

Hon. Coke Stevenson, Speaker of the
House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Enrolled
Bills, to whom was referred

H. J. R. No. 42, Proposing amend-
ments to Section 30, of Article XVI,
of the Constitution of Texas, per-
mitting elected officials of a city that
has adopted and amended its char-

ter as provided in Section 5, of
Article XI, of the Constitution of
Texas, by amendment to such city's
charter to hold office not exceeding
four (4) years; providing for its
submission to the voters of the State
of Texas as required by the Consti-
tution and making an appropriation
therefor,

Has carefully compared same, and
finds it correctly enrolled.

ROGERS of Hunt, Chairman.

In Memory of
Hon. Clay Stone Briggs

Mr. Daniel offered the following resolution:

Whereas, News has just been received of the sudden death of Hon. Clay Stone Briggs, Congressman of the Seventh Congressional District of Texas; and

Whereas, Judge Briggs has led a long and useful life as a public servant, both as a Member of this Body and the National House; and

Whereas, He distinguished himself in his profession, the law, having graduated from the Law Department of Yale University, and having served the Tenth Judicial District as Judge for many years; and

Whereas, Judge Clay Stone Briggs is honored, respected, and loved by all of his constituents and admired by the whole State of Texas for his unselfish and patriotic service for fourteen years in the National Congress; and

Whereas, His death is a shock and great loss to his State; now, therefore, be it

Resolved by the House of Representatives, That we hereby express our deep regret at the untimely passing of this patriotic statesman, and extend our unbounded sympathy to his widow and family in their bereavement; and, be it further

Resolved, That a copy of this resolution be forwarded to his family and to the House of Representatives of the National Congress by the Chief Clerk of the House, and that a page of the House Journal be set aside in honor of his memory, and that when the House adjourns today, it be in honor of his memory.

DANIEL,
BEDFORD,
METCALFE,
MACKAY,
McCLAIN,
BURNS,
ROSS,
COLSON,
JOHNSON of Anderson,
MOORE.

The resolution was read second time, and was adopted.